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Captain Harris, Accidentally Shot, Dictates Letter to Wife and Will Recover.

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NORFOLK, Va., March 2.—Captain J. T. Harris, master of the British steamer Cardiff, who accidentally shot himself Saturday morning while en route down the bay, the steamer being bound for the Atlantic, en route to Rotterdam, Europe, will recover. The attending physicians declare that the bullet that entered his forehead took downward course, landing in the roof of the mouth, and he is not seriously injured. Captain Harris gained consciousness this morning and was able during the day to write a letter to his wife, or dictate it to a nurse. All symptoms are favorable to his recovery.

Captain Harris again confirmed the story that the shooting was accidental on his part while cleaning his pistol. He declares that he mechanically put the pistol back in the drawer, and the locker at which he was standing and attempted to reach the door to notify some one, when he fell.

The First Presbyterian Church of Portsmouth yesterday called the Rev. R. C. Gilmore, of Bessemer, Ala., to the pastorate. It is believed that he will accept and that the presbytery of that section will sanction the withdrawal.

The case of M. C. Jones, of Pittsburgh, Pa., who alleges that he was robbed in the Turf Exchange, was called for trial to-day, but continued to Wednesday in order to allow the police to procure additional witnesses. Fred Demery, who pawned the man's clothing, makes the claim that they were pawned at the request of Jones, who spent all of his money for drink and wanted more. The police do not believe the story, and are working to secure other evidence.

Dates for Riot Trials.
At the opening of the Corporation Court to-day for the March term the riot cases from Accomack county, taken here under a ruling of the Supreme Court granting a new trial and change of venue, were set for trial as follows: March 17th, J. T. Taylor, three negroes; March 18th, Burton and Conquest, three negroes; out on bail and re-arresting in Norfolk.

HAMPDEN-SIDNEY DEBATE.
Union Society Argues For Popular Election of Senators and Wins.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
HAMPDEN-SIDNEY, Va., March 2.—The Union Society debate took place Saturday night in the college chapel, and proved a very interesting occasion. The champions of each society entered the discussion with much vigor and both sides maintained their respective positions with determination. The question was, "Resolved: That the Union Society be elected by direct vote of the people." The Union Society maintaining the affirmative, and the Philanthropic the negative. That the question is an open one was clearly shown, and though the decision went to the representatives of the Union, that does not mean that the Union Society is to be elected. The speakers were: From the Union, T. K. Young and T. Brooke Price; from the Philanthropic, W. H. Foster and R. Lee Chambliss. This marks the Union winners twice out of the three last times the debate has been held. The Hays trophy, therefore, remains with the Union for another year.

The judges were Rev. Gaston Boyce, of Fredericksburg, and Dr. Milledge and Mr. Thompson, of Farmville.

DANVILLE'S PUBLIC BUILDING.

House Committee Will Visit City With View to Improvements.

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DANVILLE, Va., March 2.—Secretary W. C. Ransom, of the Danville Commercial Association, received a letter to-day from Congressman E. W. Saunders, of this district, announcing that the House Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds had accepted the invitation of the association to pay Danville a visit to-day. The committee will inspect the post-office here and become better acquainted with its needs and requirements. Congressman Saunders recently introduced a bill in Congress authorizing the appropriation of \$75,000 for additions and improvements to the post-office at Danville. W. T. Swann and Postmaster C. M. Barksdale recently appeared before the committee at Washington as representatives of the Danville Commercial Association, urging the passage of the measure, and extending the committee an invitation to come here.

The House committee will arrive in Danville during the course of the next week.

CHRONIC STOMACH TROUBLE

Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills After Sufferer Had Doctored for Years in Vain.

The tonic treatment for indigestion is having remarkable success in curing obstinate cases of that distressing ailment and deserves attention from every sufferer. Its principle is that remedies for indigestion that do not reach the stomach give relief for only a short time. Ultimately they irritate the stomach to do its own proper work, because they make its already weak power still weaker by disease, while the remedy that strengthens the stomach makes it more and more capable of digesting the food for itself, and this benefit lasts. A remedy that is a tonic not only for the stomach, but for the blood and nerves as well, invigorates the entire system, makes recovery from the weakening effects of indigestion rapid and thorough.

Miss Cynthia Hart, of 418 East Mulberry Street, Lebanon, Ohio, says: "I was a sufferer from indigestion for several years, and found no relief in doctors' or other medicines. My appetite was gone. I was troubled constantly by headaches and dizzy spells, and was so nervous that I was annoyed and worried by any little noise. It was almost impossible to sleep at night, and I was easily tired out. The least bit of work made me short of breath. I lost in weight, and was so rundown that I knew I must soon find some help or give up."

"While undecided what to do I ran across a newspaper containing a case like mine cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and at once bought a box. There was soon such a decided improvement that I continued using the pills, and was entirely cured. The best proof of this is that I have been well ever since. I cannot recommend the pills too highly."

Sufferers from dyspepsia in any form who have found their condition unrelieved or actually growing worse while using ordinary remedies would do well to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They are sold by all druggists, or direct by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price. For box, six boxes \$2.50. A diet book sent free on request to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

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\$5 Silk Petticoats, Special \$3.98
Made of extra heavy taffeta, noted for its wearing qualities; tucked, bunched, cut full and wide; colors, black, gray, green, brown and navy; a much better value than the usual \$5.00 skirt, special \$3.98

Two Special Waist Bargains
Very Stylish Waists of point de spirit, in white and ecru, tastefully made with baby Irish yoke and trimmed with Val lace; special value, \$5.00; special \$3.98

A White Messaline Waist, yoke of fine tucks and lace insertion, sleeves finished with narrow Val lace and insertion; value, \$5.00; special \$5.98

\$8.50 Lingerie Dresses, \$5.98
One-piece Lingerie Dresses, made of mercerized batiste, bodice has yoke of German Val, and finished with embroidery medallions; short tucked sleeves, with rows of insertion; skirts tucked with deep flounce; colors, light blue, pink, lavender and white; positive \$5.50; values, special \$5.98

\$1.25 White Lawn Waists, 98c
Made of fine white lawn; entire front of dainty embroidery; others with tucked front and back; short or long sleeves; special 98c

Three Extraordinary Skirt Values

Skirts at \$5.98, Value \$7.50
Stylishly made of Panama, in solid colors and stylish stripes; colors, black, navy and brown; full plaited, with or without lace; folds at bottom; special \$5.98

Special Skirt at \$7.50, Value \$10
A Very Swell Full Box-Plaited Skirt of fine Panama; colors, navy, brown and black; special \$7.50

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MR. TUCKER IN CHARLOTTE.
Attends Court and Makes a Fine Impression on the People.

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CHARLOTTE, C. H., Va., March 2.—March court day, always an important occasion, was held to-day in the courtroom of the Charlotte County Courthouse, the popular candidate for gubernatorial honors at the next election, Mr. J. B. Tucker, of the Northern District of Virginia, addressed a large and attentive audience upon the court ground.

ROBBERY IN WYTHEVILLE.
Eversole Arrested, But Says He Knows Nothing of the Matter.

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WYTHEVILLE, Va., March 2.—The clothing store of Frank & Co., on Main Street, was broken into Saturday night, and about \$200 worth of goods taken. Sheriff Brown started out at once to investigate, and ran down his quarry in the evening, bringing the goods to Eversole, a dissipated young man of the town, and getting most of the goods. Eversole says he knows nothing of the matter.

FOR ATTEMPTED ASSAULT.
Serious Charge Against a Boy in Halifax County.

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SOUTH BOKES, Va., March 2.—At Della to-day, Charles Buckner, aged fifteen, a white boy, was brought before Justice S. S. Lankford, to answer the charge of attempting to assault the eight-year-old daughter of Mr. John Brandon. While the testimony of the little girl was clear, the evidence of several of the witnesses was conflicting, and Justice Lankford reserved his decision, meanwhile placing the boy under bond.

POSTAL RECEIPTS GROWING.
Those of Lynchburg Show Healthy Increase Over February of Last Year.

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LYNCHBURG, Va., March 2.—While the per cent of increase is not as large this year as it was last, the prevailing "hard" money does not appear to affect the receipts of the Lynchburg post-office, and the month of February just passed showed an increase of 7.7 per cent over the same month of 1907. The figures for 1908 are more than 50 per cent higher than the revenues of the office were in February, 1907. The receipts, compared for the last two years, are as follows: 1907, \$9,377.39; 1908, \$29,292.94; increase for 1908, \$8,855.05.

LYNCHBURG INDICTMENTS.

Grand Jury Brings in Several True Bills—Will Be Prohibited.

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W. H. Woody, grand larceny; Letch or Maxey, malicious cutting; John Moore, grand larceny; John B. Roberts, alias Will King, larceny from the person.

The will of Dr. D. A. Langhorne was admitted to probate, and Mr. Virginia P. Langhorne qualified as executrix, giving bond in the penalty of \$10,000.

FIRE IN BUCKINGHAM.

Stable Burned, Together With Provenance and Yoke of Oxen.

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BUCKINGHAM, Va., March 2.—The stables and several other buildings were destroyed by fire on Sunday morning. There was a splendid yoke of work oxen, for which Mr. Shoemaker had just paid \$75 in the stable, and they, together with his supply of provender, were burned up. Mr. Shoemaker was absent, and his wife and daughter were brought home to save the oxen, but without avail. There was no insurance.

FOR NEGRO MUSEUM.

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